GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2477
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COMPENSATION TO LAND LOSERS OF HAZARWADI SANGLI
Patil Shri Pratik Prakashbapu

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the land losers of Hazarwadi (Sangli) have been provided jobs as promised by the Hindustan Petroleum when their lands were acquired for their projects;

(b) the number of land losers given jobs so far;

(c) the number of land losers still not given jobs; and

(d) the period by which all of them will be given job?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA PATEL)

(a)to(b): Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) has reported that the Corporation had acquired land at Hazarwadi in 1989 at the compensation rates determined by the Special land Acquisition Officer, Sangli. As there was no additional manpower requirement for LPG plant at Hazarwadi and on the basis of an understanding between the parties at a meeting with the District Collector in 1997, the Corporation, as a goodwill gesture, had agreed to provide jobs to 6 project affected persons (PAPs) meeting the recruitment criteria and they have been provided jobs.

(c)&(d): Does not arise.